

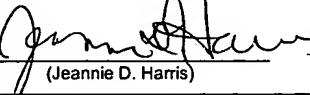
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Art Unit: 3712

For: NESTED TOYS DEPICTING LIKENESS OF  
CELEBRITIES AND SPORTS  
PERSONALITIES AND MANUFACTURING  
METHOD

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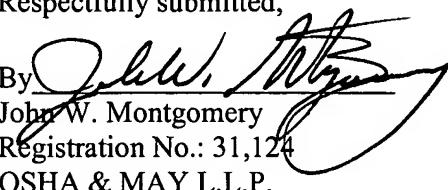
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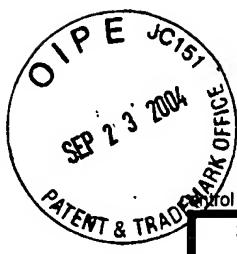
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